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To whom it may concern:

Re: Senior Web Designer

I'm writing as I wish to apply for this role as advertised on your website.

I currently work in a small unit of web developers as part of a larger media and design team. My current role and expertise includes:

1. **Mentoring** graphic and web designers:
 - Running tutorials.
 - Creating learning programs.
 - 1-on-1 mentoring.
2. **Evolving** our products and processes:
 - Researching current and innovative trends.
 - Creating standardised code templates and packages.
 - Creating backwards-compatible and future-proofing code snippets.
 - Consulting with teachers and management to improve user experience.
3. **Solving problems** in content, design and/or functionality:
 - Creating global fixes for common issues.
 - Analysing and creating fixes for outlier issues.
 - Providing documentation on how issues were fixed for future developers.

Although not pertinent to my role, I also:

- Run our organisation's kapa haka groups:
 - Weekly waiata group.
 - Men's haka group.
 - Kōnohete (concert performance) group.
- Aid in the management and execution of cultural events:
 - Te Wiki o te Reo Māori (Māori language week).
 - Matariki (Māori new year).
 - Pōwhiri and Pō Whakangahau (welcoming and leaving functions).
- Aid in the management of corporate-social events:
 - Leaving functions.
 - Christmas functions.
 - Quarterly team building exercises.

I would really appreciate an opportunity to discuss the requirements and expectations of this role. Thank you for considering my application and I look forward to your response.

Yours sincerely,

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